APPENDIX.

The applicable portions of the Indiana statute governing designation and classifying of lands for forestry purposes, referred to at the end of subdivision IV of the Argument, which was enacted in 1921 and appears in Burns' Indiana Statutes Annotated 1933, as Sections 32-301 to 32-319, inclusive, read as follows:

"32-301. Forest lands classified for taxation. For the purpose of taxation, certain forest lands, hereinafter defined as 'forest plantations' and 'native forest lands,' shall be classified and assessed as provided in this act. • • • (Acts 1921, ch. 210, Sec. 1, p. 567.)"

"32-302. 'Forest plantations' and 'native forests' defined. Any piece or parcel of land to be classified as forest plantation shall have growing thereon the following number of healthy, living timber trees per acre: • • • (Acts 1921, ch. 210, Sec. 2, p. 567.)"

"32-303. Assessment of forest lands. All forest plantations and native forest lands shall be assessed at the rate of one dollar ($1.00) per acre for general taxation purposes. (Acts 1921, ch. 210, Sec. 3, p. 567.)"

"32-304. Application for classification. Any person or firm or corporation, wishing to have any land classified according to the provisions of this act, shall obtain application blanks from the state forester for that purpose. The state forester shall send the applicant two (2) blanks, which shall be filled out and filed as hereinafter provided before the land shall be deemed to be classified within the meaning of this act. After receiving the application blanks, the applicant shall have the parcel of land proposed for classification surveyed by metes and bounds and

located with reference to some established corner. In addition, the parcel of land shall be located as to section, township, range and county; two (2) plots of the survey shall be made in ink, and on a scale of one hundred (100) feet to the inch, such plots shall show true north, the length of each side of such parcel of land in feet and inches, the size of all inclosed angles, the magnetic bearing, and the angle of the line connecting the plot with an established corner. Each plot shall be made a part of the application; one (1) copy of the plot shall be sent to the state forester and the other shall be filed and recorded in the office of the recorder of the county in which such parcel of land is situated. The person making the survey of the tract shall fill in the necessary and appropriate part of the application and sign the same as hereinafter prescribed. The applicant shall then have the land appraised by the township assessor of the township in which such parcel of land is situated and said appraisement shall become a part of the application, and the township assessor shall sign the appraisement as hereinafter prescribed. Each application shall be signed by the owner or owners, surveyor, and the township assessor making the appraisement. The signatures of each shall be witnessed by two (2) legal voters of the county in which such parcel of land is situated. One (1) application shall be filed and be made of record in the office of the recorder of the county in which such parcel of land is located, and the second application shall be sent to the state forester. If, in the judgment of the state forester, the application and the land to be classified complies with the provisions and intent of this act, he shall at once notify the county auditor of the county in which the land is located that the land described in the application has been duly classified as a forest plantation or native forest land, as the case may be, and thereupon the auditor shall enter the same for taxation as provided for in this act. (Acts 1921, ch. 210, Sec. 4, p. 567.)"

"32-312. Signs. All parcels of land classified under this act shall be marked by four (4) signs placed on the boundary thereon (thereof) and so arranged on different sides of the tract as to be the most conspicuous to the public. Such signs shall be furnished by the department of conservation, and shall be such size and have such wording as the department of conservation may designate. (Acts 1921, ch. 210, Sec. 12, p. 567.)"